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For: A NOVEL HAEMOPOIETIN
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following disclosures, which are also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

Gorman, et al. (July 1990) "Cloning and Expression of a Gene Encoding an Interleukin 3 Receptor-Like Protein: Identification of Another Member of the Cytokine Receptor Gene Family" Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 87:5459-5463.

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Hilton, et al. (1994) "Cloning of a Murine IL-11 Receptor α -Chain; Requirement for gp130 for High Affinity Binding and Signal Transduction" The EMBO Journal 13(20):4765-4775.

Itoh, et al. (January 19, 1990) "Cloning of an Interleukin-3 Receptor Gene: A Member of a Distinct Receptor Gene Family" Science 247:324-327.

Tashiro, et al. (July 30, 1993) "Signal Sequence Trap: A Cloning Strategy for Secreted Proteins and Type I Membrane Proteins" Science 261:600-601.

WO 91/18982 issued December 12, 1991.

WO 93/18047 issued September 16, 1993.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d), copies of the above listed publications are not provided as the references were previously submitted to the Examiner in connection with the parent application, Serial No. 08/702,665, filed on September 5, 1995.

Applicant is also enclosing a copy of a Search Report issued relative to the counterpart application, International Application No. PCT/AU95/00578.

Consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested, since the information provided herewith may be material to the examination of the present application as defined under 35 U.S.C. §1.56(a).

Inasmuch as this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the issuance of a first official action, no fee or certification is due.

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1. a Final Action under 37 CFR 1.113, or
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Also submitted herewith is:

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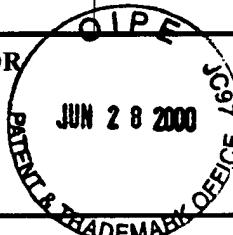
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